

Ormsby

2 messages

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Thu, Feb 4, 2010 at 6:29 PM

To: [REDACTED]

Dear Mark:

I became the purchaser of W. L. Ormsby , 1852, Bank Note Engraving book being Lot 122 of the Stacks library sale by Kolbe. I was hesitant about buying it because plate 13 was missing and the book was rebound but with the original spine. I was not aware of any opportunity of buying one in the past except for the Ford copy which I would not bid for.

It arrived today and it has spectacular plates as you know. I presume you have one in your collection. I would like to ask you some questions about it.

A friend was nice enough to send me a reprint of it which is of very poor quality and in the reprint there is a plate 13 which does not conform to what the text for plate 13 says is in it and has a print of the family of George Washington and his Mt. Vernon home.

Would you be nice enough to telephone me after you have your copy (I hope) available but if that is inconvenient tell me who might have one I can discuss the matter with,

My telephone is 314 727 0850.

Thank you for being helpful as to the grouse matter. We have not had a definite answer from the editor of the Journal of the Early Republic as yet but expect it any moment. I had a nice talk with Alan Stahl.

My best to you.

Eric

Thu, Feb 4, 2010 at 11:54 PM

Mark and Nancy Tomasko [REDACTED]

To: EricNumis@aol.com

Dear Eric,

Yes, I have Ormsby and will call you tomorrow. Plate 13 has an engraving of the home on the top and the family group beneath it, each roughly the size of a bank note. It was to illustrate the "unitary" concept for bank notes, just by showing engravings approximately the size of a whole note.

Will talk to you tomorrow.

Best,

Mark

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1 message

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To: [REDACTED]

Thu, Feb 11, 2010 at 3:42 PM

Dear Mark:

Who is the poker player described with your name on Google? It seems that your identity and his are somewhat mixed up in the write up. My grandson (Tony Newman) is a Texas Hold'em poker player and lives in Brooklyn. Please clarify. Eric